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Mr. Richard M. Bissell
Director, Project AQUATONE
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Bissell:

In order to ensure proper exploitation of certain categories of intelligence, I find it necessary to request "R" clearances for the following officers:

Major General Robert H. Wienecke
Brigadier General John J. Davis
Major Truman R. Boman

General Wienecke, my Deputy, requires the "R" clearance to function in my absence and to assess properly certain intelligence problems delegated to him.

General Davis, my Director of Foreign Intelligence, must have all available intelligence to perform effectively his mission. "R" information is considered critical to intelligence support of Army research and development. General Davis has broad experience in the Special Intelligence field and can provide sound guidance for Army exploitation of "R" and related materials.

Major Boman is charged with intelligence on the Soviet PVO. "R" information at this time is a primary means for assessing the early warning capabilities of this Soviet organization.

In the interest of keeping "R" clearances to a strict minimum, I am debriefing Colonel Charles J. Denholm, who no longer has a "must know" due to reassignment.

Your favorable consideration of this proposal will greatly assist me in solving a major problem.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Robert A. Schoof", is written over the typed name.

ROBERT A. SCHOOF
Major General, GS
ACofS, Intelligence

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